

SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT9-58. Program Approval for State Source Water Assessment Programs under Section 1453 and Source Water Quality Protection Partnership Petition Programs under Section 1454

1. **AUTHORITY.** To approve amendments to the initial Source Water Assessment Program and Source Water Quality Protection Partnership Petition Program in each state.
2. **TO WHOM DELEGATED.** Director, Water Division.
3. **LIMITATIONS.** The delegatee must obtain concurrence from the director of the Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water for the approval of the first formal Source Water Assessment Program and the first formal Source Water Quality Protection Partnership Petition Program in the region. The region will also provide OGWDW with the opportunity to review each subsequent submission of both state programs.
4. **REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.**
 - a. This authority may be redelegated to the branch chief level, or equivalent and no further.
 - b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
5. **ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.** State Source Water Assessment and Protection Programs - Final Guidance, August 6, 1997.



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Date